

CITY OF GUNNISON PARKS AND RECREATION

To: City Council

From: Parks and Rec Dept. Re: Ice Rink Compressor

We recently had an ammonia leak that we had diagnosed by our rink consultant. The problem is a shaft seal bearing on our #1 compressor. The cost estimate to replace that bearing is \$1,600. The #1 compressor is close to the having the number of logged to undergo a total rebuild. The cost estimate to perform a total rebuild is \$10,500. This important preventative maintenance service would normally be scheduled for 2016. The shaft seal bearing replacement would require replacement again during the major overhaul. Our recommendation is to request an additional appropriation to perform the total overhaul in 2015 in essence saving the additional expense of the \$1,600 to perform just the shaft seal repair this year. The source of revenue could be allocated from either the Park and Rec Fund or the Rink reserve account. The preference is for funds being utilized from the Park and Recreation Reserve Fund account.

Sincerely,

Dan Ampietro